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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT

- 1) Heading of the Part: Claiming Races
- 2) Code Citation: 11 Ill. Adm. Code 510
- 3) Section Numbers: 510.260 Proposed Action: New Section
- 4) Statutory Authority: Section 9(b) of the Illinois Horse Racing Act of 1975 [230 ILCS 5/9(b)].
- 5) A Complete Description of the Subjects and Issues Involved: This proposed rulemaking protects the owner for the time and money invested in bringing a horse back from a long layoff. The horse owner knows he can keep the horse for at least a second start before the possibility of the horse being claimed. An extended layoff for a lame, injured or fatigued horse gives it ample time to recover rather than an unscrupulous owner/trainer racing the horse back quickly at a reduced claiming price in hopes of passing his problems along to the next unsuspecting claimant.
- 6) Published studies or reports and sources of underlying data used to compose this rulemaking: None
- 7) Will this proposed rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 8) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 9) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- 10) Are there any other proposed rulemakings pending in this Part? No
- 11) Statement of Statewide Policy Objectives: No local governmental units will be required to increase expenditures.
- 12) Time, Place and Manner in which interested persons may comment on this proposed rulemaking: Written comments should be submitted, within 45 days after this notice, to:

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- 13) Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis:
- A) Types of small businesses, small municipalities and not-for-profit corporations affected: None
 - B) Reporting, bookkeeping or other procedures required for compliance: None
 - C) Types of professional skills necessary for compliance: None
- 14) Regulatory Agenda which this rulemaking was summarized: This rulemaking was not included on either of the two most recent regulatory agendas because: the Board did not anticipate the need for this rulemaking at the time the agendas were published.

The full text of the Proposed Amendment begins on the next page.

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PART 510

CLAIMING RACES

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AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by Section 9(b) of the Illinois Horse Racing Act of 1975 [230 ILCS 5/9(b)].

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SOURCE: Adopted at 5 Ill. Reg. 1686, effective February 16, 1981; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 8300, effective August 5, 1981; codified at 5 Ill. Reg. 10911; amended at 7 Ill. Reg. 2167, effective February 4, 1983; amended at 7 Ill. Reg. 3197, effective March 14, 1983; amended at 8 Ill. Reg. 14992, effective August 6, 1984; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 17636, effective October 16, 1990; amended at 17 Ill. Reg. 12423, effective July 15, 1993; amended at 17 Ill. Reg. 13612, effective July 30, 1993; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 2064, effective January 21, 1994; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 11607, effective July 7, 1994; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 13887, effective October 1, 1995; amended at 20 Ill. Reg. 12473, effective September 1, 1996; amended at 21 Ill. Reg. 951, effective January 7, 1997; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 7386, effective May 1, 2000; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 12722, effective August 1, 2000; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 17480, effective November 8, 2000; amended at 25 Ill. Reg. 6393, effective May 1, 2001; amended at 25 Ill. Reg. 8814, effective July 1, 2001; amended at 27 Ill. Reg. 533, effective January 1, 2003; amended at 31 Ill. Reg. 15094, effective November 1, 2007; amended at 32 Ill. Reg. 10161, effective July 1, 2008; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 11318, effective July 21, 2009; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

Section 510.260 Option to Declare Horse Ineligible to be Claimed

At the time of entry into a claiming race, the owner, or the trainer acting under authorization from the owner, may opt to declare a horse ineligible to be claimed provided that:

- a) the horse has not been an official starter in a race at any racetrack for a minimum of 120 days since its last race as an official starter;
- b) the horse's last race as an official starter was a claiming race in which the horse was eligible to be claimed;
- c) the horse is entered for a claiming price equal to or greater than the claiming price at which it last started as an official starter;
- d) failure to declare the horse ineligible at the time of entry may not be remedied;
and
- e) ineligibility to be claimed shall only apply to the first start as an official starter following each 120-day or longer layoff.

(Source: Added at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)